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## On to Nationals!



Gridley FFA Agricultural Issues Forum Team receives a donation from the Gridley Rotary Club for their trip to the FFA National Convention. Pictured left to right: Kennison Cota, Alyssa Thompson, Miranda Johnson, Becca Hamman, Avery Weagant and Lisa Van DeHey.

**Story and photo by Seti Long**

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - Gridley FFA's finest are off to compete at the 95th National FFA Conventional & Expo in Indianapolis, held October 26th -29th.

Gridley FFA's Agricultural Issues Forum Team gave the local Rotary club a taste of their mock forum before the group flew to Indiana earlier this week. National FFA Judges have already received an overview of the group's presentation and portfolio. When they arrive at Nationals, Gridley FFA members will compete in the final two rounds of judging – a

15-minute presentation where each speak on their chosen topic and then a 10 minute Q&A session with questions posed by National FFA Judges.

These young ladies presented their program to the Gridley Rotary group before heading to Nationals, sharing a wealth of information and the pros/cons surrounding their topic – neonicotinoid treated seeds. Each of the ladies took the stance of a stakeholder in the forum, which they became to accurately represent and share a complete understanding of information in relation to the topic of “neonic” treated seeds.

Miranda Johnson representing the

California Department of Pesticide Regulation would provide a background on neonic treated seeds and act as a mediator between the 4 other presenting members of the group. As active stakeholders, Alyssa Thompson would represent the Natural Resource Defense Council, speaking on how chemicals in the neonic covered seeds affect wildlife, while Avery Weagant, of the California Seed Association, spoke to how coated seeds effect overall crop yield and quality. Kennison Cota, as President of the California State Beekeepers

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## Measure J Update

**By Seti Long**

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - Gridley Unified School District Superintendent Justin Kern, along with Gridley High School's Principal Rikki-Lee Buresch have held two informational meetings regarding Measure J, a \$16.3 million bond measure on the November 8th ballot.

These meetings have served to inform the public about the measure, allow for a Q&A session, a tour of the facilities, and shared what the school district hopes to accomplish with the funding if the measure passes.

In a previous article from *The Gridley Herald*, it was stated that the district was hesitant to speak on the financial impact Measure J would have on taxpayers.

Superintendent Kern wished to clarify some information regarding the bond measure and the “hesitancy” to assign a firm dollar amount to taxpayers.

“The challenge in speaking about annual costs to the individual taxpayer is a result of several factors and fluctuations as a result of city growth and the timing and amount of funds taken out on the bond,” he said. “With that said there is a ceiling. This bond will not exceed \$40 per \$100,000 of assessed value of the taxpayer's personal property.

“For comparison's sake the bond measure passed in 2012 for the elementary schools that led to new classrooms for McKinley, Wilson, and Sycamore had a ceiling of \$13 per \$100,000.”

He continues speaking on the 2012 bond measure saying, “the current rate today sits at \$8.37 per \$100,000 or roughly 64% of what voters were told would be the top amount paid. Bond funds are usually taken in series as not all projects happen at once. This reduces tax implications as well during the initial period.” As for Measure J, if the district were to pull half the funds for the first series, roughly \$8 million, the ceiling would drop to \$20 per \$100,000 assessed property value until the next series was pulled.

Receiving the bond funds would open the school district up for matching funds from the state – 50/50 matching funds for new construction, 60/40 matching funds for modernization. Kern states, “If Measure J were to be successful, we would receive roughly \$8-9 million in match funds allowing for \$24-25 million in projects to be completed.” If the district remains eligible, the

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## Gridley Swim Teams Perform Well at BVL Championships

**By Seti Long**

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - The Gridley High School swim team has had a record-breaking season, with the boys team setting a new standard with their season record of 56-0. The ladies have also had a strong season as the team moves on to the Division II championships this week after securing the Butte View League Championship.

To understand how swim is scored and how meets are structured can be difficult when compared to other organized sports teams which traditionally take on one team at a time except for tournament play. The GHS swim team takes on eight teams at each of their meets, swimming in individual and relay competitions. Total times are tallied, and the overall score determines their team or individual ranking in the meet.

To move on to the Division II Championship Finals, GHS swimmers must meet qualifying

times in both individual and relay swim competitions. Not only has the GHS swim team done so, but they have also taken the BVL Championships, and both the boys and girls teams have put forth strong showings throughout their season.

With only seven swimmers, the GHS boys swim team have consistently out swim teams in the BVL which include Durham, Orland, Winters, Las Plumas, Oroville, Willows, Providence and Paradise High Schools. They have come away with the top

score, or first place, at each meet throughout the season, including the BVL Championship, coming away with a spotless win-loss record of 56-0.

GHS swim coach, Monica Terry cannot express the gravity of such a season

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The Gridley boys swim team placed first in the Butte View League Championships. Photo courtesy of Chasing Butterflies Photography





**California water agencies, farmers offer to conserve Colorado River water**

Farmers in America's largest growing region for winter vegetables are bracing for cuts in water supplies as anxiety mounts over the 2023 growing season. The Imperial Irrigation District, which delivers water from the Colorado River to farmers in the Imperial Valley, has joined other California water agencies in offering to take less water from the river between 2023 and 2026. Their offer to U.S. Bureau of Reclamation is a concession to protect water levels in the drought-impacted river and dangerously shallow Lake Mead.

**Hydroponics debate: Can crops raised without soil be organic?**

A debate is raging within the organic farming community over whether crops grown in hydroponics systems can be sold as organic. Two recent court rulings backed the U.S. Department of Agriculture's position that foods raised in hydroponic growing systems are eligible for organic certification. Some farmers argue that hydroponic crops cannot be organic because they are not grown in soil. A group of organic farms sued the USDA after officials refused to prohibit organic certification of hydroponic farms.

**Comment period extended for proposed organic livestock and poultry standards**

The public comment period has been extended on proposed changes to U.S. organic regulations for organic livestock and poultry production. A proposed rule, published Aug. 9, clarifies living conditions, healthcare, transportation and slaughter practices. Recommended changes would also establish indoor and outdoor space requirements and stocking-density limits for poultry. The USDA has extended the deadline for comments from farmers and the public to Nov. 10.

**Climate-smart farmers in California win grant awards from USDA**

Twenty California projects have received grants under the first pool of \$2.8 billion in funding from the USDA's Partnerships for Climate Smart Commodities program. The grants support efforts such as manure management to reduce methane emissions, regenerative farming practices for almonds and data collection for developing a national soil inventory. California grant recipients recently discussed individual climate-smart programs in a meeting of the California State Board of Food and Agriculture. ★

# Interact's First Act



Sponsored by Gridley Rotary Club, Gridley High's Interact Club joined Rotarians Saturday in painting the Leadership building. Photo by Catalina Sanchez

By Seti Long

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - A new group has joined the Gridley High School club roster.

Sponsored by the Gridley Rotary Club, Gridley High Schools' Interact Club has found its footing, officially forming at the start of this year. The club meets each week and has adopted the mission statement 'Service Above Self.' In just two months they have grown to 61 members and counting. Rotarian Margaret Hughes is the liaison between the Interact Club and Gridley Rotary, while Liz Ayon is the club's advisor.

Ayon says, "Our goal is to provide service to our school and community." As Interact club members, they are required


to have 12 hours of community service each semester, Ayon adding that "we are looking for ways to serve and would love community members to contact us with projects and ideas to help these young people learn the value of giving back."

Interact's first major act of service was held just recently as they joined Gridley Rotary to give the old band room/cafe-teria building, now the home of GHS Leadership, a fresh coat of paint. They worked side-by-side with the Rotarians for hours as they tried to better an area of campus in much need.



The 2022-2023 Interact Club Officers are: President- Nevaeh Marshall, Vice President- Jose Magana Valle, Secretary- Alexia Gutierrez, Treasurer- Nico Donati, and Publicity Chair- Addison Busch. ★



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# Measure J Update

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matching funds could exceed that figure, allowing for more projects throughout the district.

Gridley High School would be realizing the full \$16.3 million if this bond passes, which could eventually snowball to \$24-25 million after the state matches the funding. As with loans or mortgages, this bond is subject to annual interest rates that are expected to affect the total value of the bond over its planned 30-year period.

Superintendent Kern also informed the Herald that the State of California

requires oversight of public-school bonds. If Measure J passes, the formation of a Citizen's Bond Oversight Committee (CBOC) will be required, where the Board of Education will appoint its members and set their term limits. These meetings are open to the public and it is the job of the CBOC to review the spending of bond funds and report their findings to the public.

As shared in the Measure J informative meeting on October 17th and 24th, Superintendent Kern says, "while GUSD has been successful in

securing grants over the past five years, about \$1.5 million in total for programs and equipment, efforts to acquire facility improvement funds have been unsuccessful to this point, necessitating this bond." It is the hope that, if passed, the bond will fund much needed projects and "improvements at Gridley High School for several years as the district continues to pursue available funding options to supplement and maximize the lasting impact that Measure J could have on the school and community." ★



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# Gridley Swim Teams Perform Well



The Gridley girls swim team placed second in the Butte View League Championships. Photo courtesy of Chasing Butterflies Photography

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record and what it means to have such athletes competing for GHS. To achieve something of this magnitude is “absolutely amazing” she says and hopes to shine a spotlight on these talented swimmers.

“I don’t know of any other team that has done this,” she reiterated.

Swimming for the GHS team are the following young men: Jayce Lewellen, Billie Routon, Luke Soares, Harper Solander, Nico Donati, Nate Yahuaca, and Aaron Rogers.

Competing against the eight teams in their league, the ladies have also been doing swimmingly. They have placed first in two out of six meets and consistently ranked in the top three all season. They too placed in the BVL Championship meet held on October 19, taking second.

The ladies will progress on to the Division II Championship Finals this week. Making up the ladies portion of the team are Phoenix Brynnan, Sid Allard, Evie LaBuff, Annie Woods, Hope Gallagher, Ellie Woods, Earline Adams, Zoey Williams, Jasmine Johnson, Gemma Donati and Audrey Beck.

The GHS swim team competed Wednesday, October 26 at the Division II Finals held at Shasta College, taking on 34 high school swim teams from Division I and II. The top performers from that meet stand to be invited to the North Section Swim Masters Meet, held just two days later on Saturday, October 29.

The Gridley High School Swim Team and its swimmers have been invited to compete at the masters meet since its inception 16 years ago. ★

# Welcome for Wellness

By Seti Long

GRIDLEY, CA (MPG) - Butte County Behavior Health held a welcoming event for their new Gridley Wellness Center.

The new Butte County Wellness Center, part of the Butte County Behavioral Health Gridley location, held an open house Monday, October 17, to invite the community to learn more about its resources.

With the welcome mat rolled out, the group served donuts and drinks outside their Spruce Street location and visited with the public, sharing information about their “Recovery Model Philosophy” which emphasizes learning how to live life while managing the difficulties posed [by] mental health challenges.



The staff at the new Gridley Wellness Center welcomes you! Photo provided by Aaron Demay

The wellness center offers peer support and specialists that can evaluate clients’ specific needs and link them to services that can aid daily wellness.

The Gridley Wellness Center is located at 995 Spruce St., Gridley, CA and is open Monday-Friday from 8:00 am – 5:00 pm. For more information, please call (530) 846-7305. ★

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Association, spoke to how neonic treated seeds affected bees and native pollinators and Becca Hamman, a Researcher with the UC Cooperative Extension, would touch on potential contamination of ground water by pesticides.

The presentation was highly educational

and illustrated the excellence in which this group performed.

The Gridley Rotary group saw fit to donate \$500 to support the team’s trip to the FFA National Convention currently underway. They will compete there along with Nico Donati, representing FFA as a California State Delegate. ★

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# North Valley Wins Tournament



The North Valley 11 and under team pictured from left to right, back row: coach Manuel Reyes, Lucas Read, Marcos Sarabia, Adrian San Miguel, head coach Javier Solis, Lochlan Triebold, coach Steven Patterson Sr. and JJ Victorino; front row: Steven Patterson Jr., Jaden Solis, Antion Reyes, Tristan Heusser, David Taranto and Maverick Cable. Photo courtesy of Javier Solis

**By Shaun Holkko,**  
*sports editor*

**GLENN COUNTY, CA (MPG)** - The North Valley 11 and under Little League baseball team recently won their first tournament of the fall season with an undefeated 4-0 record last week in Orland.

The team is made up of players from the Butte and Sutter County Areas. The North Valley program has teams with players ranging from 8 and under to 16 and under.

The league is for young baseball players to continue working on their fundamentals while competing around Northern California, according to Javier Solis, head coach of the 11U team. Solis is among the highly qualified coaches in the Biggs and Gridley areas. Sutter High is represented by Stewart Peterson and John Johnson is from East Nicolaus High.

Over the weekend, North Valley won all four games. Biggs was the first to fall by

a 10-2 score. Cottonwood was next by a 13-1 margin. Orland got shut out at their home field 13-0. In the championship game, North Valley defeated the Chico Mavericks in a thriller 12-9.

“It’s been nice, we’ve been up in the Reno/Mather/Woodland/Elk Grove areas quite often so coming to play in some games up north has been nice for our kids,” Solis said. “Our offense has been hot from the get-go; it was our pitching and defense that was kinda slowing us down a bit.

“We found a way to get all three of those working at the same time. That helped us accomplish our goal of winning this tournament.”

The town of Gridley was well represented on the 11U team. David Taranto received all-tournament honors after recording eight hits with two home runs and one triple. Taranto added 10 runs scored and 10 runs batted in.

“I’m really happy with

our boys and I look forward to the upcoming tournament this weekend,” Solis said. “We’ll keep putting in the hard work throughout the next couple months and see where it takes us.”

Jaden Solis led the team with two doubles and eight stolen bases. Marcos Sarabia earned a win on the mound after pitching five innings, striking out eight batters and allowing only one walk.

Players on the North Valley 11U team are the following: Taranto, Sarabia, Jaden Solis, Lucas Read, Adrian San Miguel, Lochlan Triebold, JJ Victorino, Tristan Heusser, Maverick Cable, Antion Reyes and Steven Patterson Jr. Coaches include Javier Solis, Manuel Reyes and Steven Patterson Sr.

North Valley will be playing this upcoming weekend in Chico. The Halloween Bash, hosted by the Chico Aces, is the 11U team’s last tournament of the calendar year, so go check them out and root for your local boys! ★

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## MEMORIAL

**MARY LOU EMANUEL • 10/14/1934 – 10/15/2022**

Mary Lou Emanuel passed away, after a lengthy time in hospice care, on Saturday, October 15, 2022, in Yuba City, CA. It was the morning after she celebrated her 88th birthday.

Mary Lou was born in Casper, Wyoming, on October 14, 1934 to Louis and Margaret Grickshot. She and her twin sister, Marian, were the youngest of 4 daughters. Her parents and sisters have proceeded her in death. She grew up in Ft. Collins, CO, where she met and married her lifelong love, Paul Emanuel. The newlyweds moved to California where they raised their family until Paul passed away suddenly in 1982. For 40 years, she waited faithfully to be reunited with him.



She is survived by her children: Patty (Bruce) Speegle, Caroline (Ron) Howard, Jim (Eric) Emanuel, Kevin (Jill) Emanuel, and Jennifer (David) Emanuel. She is also survived by her grandchildren: Michael, Christina, Matthew, Daniel, Megan, Erin, Jack, Paige, Jayden and 8 great-grandchildren.

Her life was one of

service and devotion to her family. She was called to be a wife and mother, and she embraced her calling fully. Her husband, children and grandchildren are blessed to have been loved by her. She was also devoted to her Catholic faith and served her church in many ways. She enjoyed music and singing, a good laugh, and a slot machine that was paying.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Gridley, CA on Friday, November 11, 2022, at 1 p.m., followed by a graveside service at Gridley-Biggs Cemetery at 2 p.m. In her memory, donations can be made to your local Catholic Ladies Relief Society.

## MEMORIAL

**SANDRA LYNN ETHINGTON KILIAN**

**10/11/1958 – 10/22/2022**



Sandra Lynn Ethington Kilian passed away peacefully in her home on October 22, 2022. She had just celebrated her 64th birthday on October 11th. “Sam” grew up in Gridley, California and graduated from GHS, class of 1976. Cheerleading was her favorite GHS extracurricular activity. She loved her friends in high school and rekindled those friendships over the years.

She worked at the Gridley Bank of America for many years and was most recently employed at Acosta Labor Services in Yuba City.

She married Michael Kilian on March 25, 1988, in the Oakland California Temple of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

Her most cherished roles in life were “sister,” “mother” and “grandmother.” She treasured her family and would do anything for them. There was nothing more important to her than making family memories. She loved Disneyland, gardening, and Halloween. Ask her grandchildren about the infamous annual Halloween carnivals in her backyard, numerous trips to Disneyland, dressing up like the “Cat in the Hat” for reading time in school classrooms, and singing lullabies.

She was a breast cancer

survivor and a champion for friends and others struggling with the disease. In 2010 and 2011 Sam and her sisters organized the “Tickled Pink” walks in Gridley to raise funds for a new imaging machine.

We have lost a loyal, funny, compassionate, and selfless daughter of God. Sam loved her Savior and embraced the knowledge of eternal families.

She is preceded in death by Lester Ethington (father), Verda Walton Jensen (mother), Sheila Ethington (step-mother) and Mark Jensen (brother).

She is survived by Norm Jensen (father), Mike Kilian (husband), Elizabeth Grating (daughter), Chris, Robert, Steve, and Jon (sons), Rich, Reg, Steve, Brent, Todd, Layne, Darien (brothers), Tamie, Michele, Jayne, Kristy, Leslie (sisters), 11 grandchildren, and 2 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, November 1, 2022, 1:00 pm, the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 400 Spruce St., Gridley.

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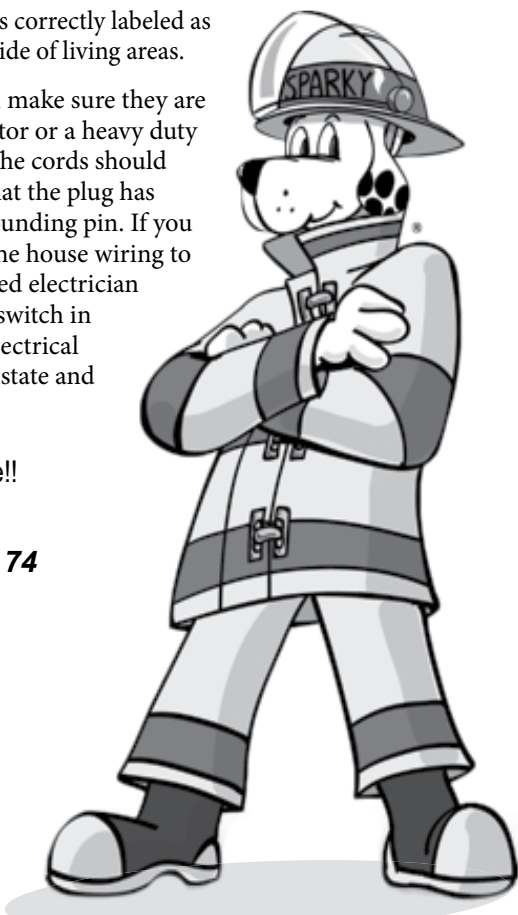
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## Dear Dietitian

### Vegs and Calcium



**Commentary by Leanne McCrate**

*Dear Dietitian,*

I read your last column on calcium, where you recommended that we get the mineral in our diet rather than pills. Is it better to get calcium from plant foods or dairy products?

Just wondering

Dear Wondering,

Calcium is the most abundant mineral in the body, accounting for 39% of total body minerals. Most of us know calcium is needed for strong bones and teeth, but did you know it is also required for blood clotting? Calcium initiates the release of blood-clotting agents from your platelets. Other functions include regulation of heartbeat and nerve function.

While there are many calcium-rich foods, including tofu, navy beans, fortified juices, and plant milk, this column will focus on dairy and green vegetables. For adults, the Recommended Daily Allowance (RDA) for calcium is 1,000 mg up to age 50. That amount increases to 1,200 mg daily for women over 50 and men older than 70.

Dairy sources of calcium include milk, yogurt, and cheese. The calcium in these foods has a high

bioavailability, meaning the body easily absorbs it. There are many delicious-tasting yogurts on the market today. I was surprised to learn that a 5.3 oz portion (about ½ cup) only provides 15% (150 mg) of the Daily Value (DV) for calcium. In comparison, 1 cup of plain, non-fat yogurt contains 45% DV (450 mg). Start with plain, fat-free yogurt to maximize calcium intake, then sweeten it with your favorite fruit. Or simply eat two cartons of the smaller, pre-packaged yogurts.

Dark, green leafy vegetables, such as kale, spinach, turnip greens, mustard greens, and broccoli, are good sources of calcium. The calcium in these foods is just as healthy as in dairy products, but you will need to consume larger portions of these vegetables compared to dairy. This is good since these veggies are also rich in folic acid and fiber. For example, 2 cups of cooked broccoli provide 360 mg calcium, or 36% DV. It is important to note the high levels of oxalate in spinach limits the bioavailability of calcium, restricting its absorption.

The bottom line is to keep it simple. Choose calcium-rich foods that you enjoy. Be sure to get these products in your diet every single day. And don't forget about vitamin D, which is needed for calcium absorption. This mighty vitamin can be made from sunlight exposure and is also found in fortified milk, juice, and some cereals

*Until next time, be healthy!*  
*Dear Dietitian*

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Butte County Association of Governments is requesting comments from the public on unmet transit needs. Members of the public are invited to submit comments by mail, email, phone, internet or via Zoom at our public hearing. For consideration in the 2023/24 Transit Needs Assessment, comments need to be received by **Thursday, December 8, 2022**.

All testimony received is given equal consideration.

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# Thoughts to Ponder

by Kathy Neal

Have you left your lights on? All of us worry about leaving lights on when we exit our homes. Did I turn them off? Did I leave them on? Miles away from home we worry about what we didn't do.

But sometimes a light left on in the dark is a welcoming sign of help and care. Remember the motel motto from years ago? "We'll leave the light on for you!" That meant they were open for travelers and had a room to rent. A safe place to be.

We as Christians are asked to do the same. "Be a light to the world." Jesus said. He asks His followers to shine bright in the darkness of the world. Don't hide your faith and love for God but put it forth for all to see. When we have the love of God in us others see the glow. We should give them a light to go to so they can find safety.

There is no better ad or commercial by Christians that the light that shines from the hearts for God. When people see how God helps us in all situations, then they will want to know how and

why. Letting the light of love shine forth gives others a welcome sign.

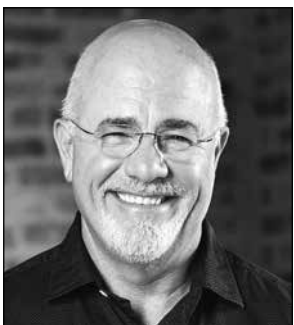
Our light shines stronger when we practice humility, meekness, mercy, righteousness, peace, love, and kindness to those around us.

A cheerful word, a gentle smile, or a helping hand all show others God's glory. We become His hands and feet as we move through our daily

lives. Don't pass up an opportunity to shine God's light on others as you go along your way.

Who knows how uplifting those actions can be for someone in a dark place, experiencing trials and troubles. Speak out in kindness! Reach out in love! You never know how much you change a person by merely offering peace, love, and joy.

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## Dave Ramsey Says

take to get current on each one. Then, create a written, monthly budget. Once that's done, and all your expenses and income are accounted for, you're going to squeeze every penny you can from there and work your late list from smallest to largest until everything's current. You're going to feel a sense of relief —and accomplishment — every time you flip one of these bills. And believe it or not, the act of simply making a list will help reduce the stress you're feeling, because just by doing that you've established the size of the dragon. This dragon must die, and you are the knight who's going to kill it.

But listen, there are two sides to this equation — income and outgo. No offense, but \$30,000 a year as an income in Los Angeles stinks. You've got to do something to make more money. Hey, \$10,000 would literally change your life. Not everyone can say that. The bad news is, you've got \$10,000 worth of debt. The good news is, you've got only \$10,000 worth of debt. I'm not talking about some little minimum wage deal, either. I want you making

some real money. Don't do anything illegal, or something that would compromise your morals, but get after making some good money.

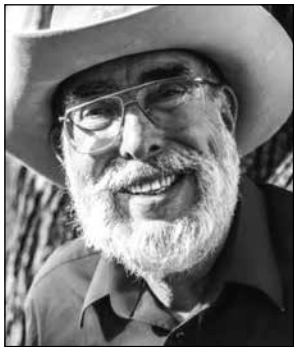
And long term? Dude, you might want to think about taking a step up in your industry or even a full-blown career change. I mean, you don't want to be making \$30,000 a year and still working a side job when you're 50, right?

You could be debt-free, and have a much better life, in a year or less, Cameron. Go do this.

I want you to win!  
— Dave

*Dave Ramsey is a seven-time #1 national best-selling author, personal finance expert, and host of The Ramsey Show, heard by more than 18 million listeners each week. He has appeared on Good Morning America, CBS This Morning, Today Show, Fox News, CNN, Fox Business, and many more. Since 1992, Dave has helped people regain control of their money, build wealth and enhance their lives. He also serves as CEO for Ramsey Solutions.* ★

# Slim Randles' HOME COUNTRY



Slim Randles

There's something to be said for the brightness of day, of course, when the energies of the world improve our lot in life. But for a special time, give me the night. Give me the soft, velvety quiet of a country evening and its own sounds and flavors and scents.

It's good to hear the night shift take over the

*A country evening is what we get for being good all day*

part of our world we call home. The coyote yaps off in the brush, calling his family to the hunt, the quail have a soft cluck and rustle down by the creek. The crickets set up the background music for all this in a spooky kind of harmony.

It's a resting time for most, but for those who will postpone sleep, there is the secret of another world, where we slow down a little and take a bit more time with our lives. This is a time when we can hear the world heal a

little before it goes back into daily battle again. A time when we can smile and sit and just say thanks for bringing us to another evening like this. If we like, we can do a little mental planning for the next day. Or not.

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# California May Reallocate Shrinking Water Supply



By Dan Walters, CALMatters.org

While it's not yet formal policy, those who manage California's vast water system are edging toward a historic reallocation of the state's shrinking supply that could have a life-altering impact on its largest-in-the-nation agricultural industry.

For many years, farmers have used about 80% of the water diverted from rivers for human use, with the rest going to urban areas for drinking, watering lawns, maintaining swimming pools, taking showers, cooking and commercial or industrial use.

Prolonged drought has compelled all users to make do with less. However, the biggest loser has been the environment — free flows to maintain habitat for fish and other aquatic species — which generally gets about 50% of the total flow.

In recent years, federal judges have ordered cuts in agricultural water diversions to enforce the Endangered Species Act and the state Water Resources Control Board has moved in the same direction on an emergency basis due to drought. However, environmental groups want permanent habitat-enhancing reductions.

Former Gov. Jerry Brown and his successor, Gavin Newsom, have sought "voluntary agreements" by

which agricultural water agencies would curtail diversions to maintain river flows, but results have been scanty at best.

Without such agreements, the water board could implement mandatory reductions, but they would be viewed by farmers as an assault on their historic water rights and probably trigger massive legal battles.

The key principle in these conflicts is that water belongs to the public as a whole and must be put to "beneficial use," as defined in a 1943 law that implemented a constitutional declaration passed by voters in 1928. The law commands authorities to prevent "waste or unreasonable use or unreasonable method of use of water..."

Environmentalists believe the constitution thus authorizes the state water board to curtail agricultural diversions for the protection of habitat, but the 1943 law also declares, "In the enactment of this code the Legislature does not intend thereby to effect any change in the law relating to water rights."

That obvious legal dichotomy is the crux of the situation.

Whether, indeed, the state water board is gearing up for a showdown over water rights, some of which stretch back to the 19th century, is the subject of much speculation in water circles.

Early this year, water board chairman Joaquin Esquivel told a gathering of water officials, "We know we have to change the system. Water rights can be there as a tool to be able to manage supplies through not just a drought but when

there is water again. Our water rights system can be there to facilitate decisions on projects and help us make decisions, or they can be a hindrance."

While the water rights issue percolates in Northern California, there's a similar conflict underway in Southern California over how much water the state diverts from a severely threatened Colorado River.

California is legally entitled to 4.4 million acre-feet per year, with the vast majority of that going to the Imperial Irrigation District and other agricultural users, but the Colorado's flow has dropped dramatically.

The federal government demands that California and other states that draw from the river, principally Nevada and Arizona, reduce diversions by 2-to-4 million acre-feet per year, and threatens to mandate cuts under the "beneficial use" doctrine if they cannot agree.

California has offered a 400,000 acre-foot reduction, only 9%, but that's not enough to satisfy the other states and the outcome is very much in doubt. Meanwhile, the feds are offering Colorado water users \$400 for every acre-foot of water they don't take.

Farmers' water rights are clearly not as sacrosanct as they once seemed to be, and as drought persists the stage is being set for a monumental reckoning of some kind.

*Dan Walters has been a journalist for nearly 60 years, spending all but a few of those years working for California newspapers.* ★

# BCSO Investigating Palermo Shooting

## BCSO News Release

**BUTTE COUNTY, CA (MPG)** - On October 16, 2022, around 10:00 a.m., Butte County Sheriff's Office (BCSO) deputies were dispatched to a report of an accidental shooting in Palermo. Deputies responded to the area and located a vehicle near the intersection of Lincoln Blvd. and Wyandotte Avenue. Deputies identified the driver of the vehicle as Cory Julian, age 30, of Palermo. Deputies determined Julian's six-year-old child, who had been shot, was also inside the vehicle.

Deputies began providing first aid to the child. Paramedics responded and transported the child to a local hospital. Upon arrival at the hospital, doctors opined the child sustained life-threatening injuries. The child was stabilized and life flighted to an out of area hospital. The child is currently in stable condition.

Detectives conducted an investigation regarding the circumstances surrounding the shooting. Detectives determined the

shooting occurred at Julian's residence, which is located near the 1900 block of Kusel Road, Palermo. Detectives obtained a search warrant for Julian's residence and located a firearm.

During the investigation, detectives located evidence that gave them cause to believe Julian was in possession of an illegally purchased firearm. On the morning of October 16, while under the influence of marijuana, Julian was attempting to manipulate the firearm. While manipulating the firearm, Julian caused the firearm to discharge one round which struck his child. Julian then attempted to drive his child to a local hospital. Julian was contacted by deputies at the intersection of Lincoln Blvd. and Wyandotte Avenue.

This is an ongoing investigation. When the investigation is completed it will be forwarded to the Butte County District Attorney's Office for review. If anyone has information about this investigation, they are encouraged to call Detective Zach Price at 530-538-7671. ★



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# Butte County Man Convicted by Jury on His Many Lies



## Butte County DA News Release

**BUTTE COUNTY, CA (MPG)** - A former Butte County resident who committed construction fraud in Paradise after the Camp Fire; lied to the court; and fled from the courthouse to Utah; has been convicted by a Butte County jury of five felonies.

Kipp Ford, 40, formerly of Gridley and Chico, was found guilty on Friday, October 14, 2022, after a six-day trial for using a false contractor's license number, theft by false pretenses, and contracting without a license

in a disaster zone. He was also found guilty of submitting a false declaration to the court and failing to appear in court.

Butte County District Attorney Mike Ramsey said the case began in 2019 when a local construction company reported to the Paradise Police Department they had been scammed by Ford, who claimed to be a licensed contractor but was not. Police learned Ford had signed several subcontracts for houses being rebuilt in the town of Paradise after the Camp Fire. Within days, the general contractor became suspicious about Ford due to his shoddy workmanship and evasive answers, and soon found the license number Ford had provided them actually belonged to another contractor out of Southern California.

Ramsey said Ford chose to take the stand in his own defense during the trial, testifying for almost a full day. In response to

the contracting fraud charges, Ford claimed that despite the evidence of signed contracts where he claimed to be a licensed contractor, he was actually just a "1099 laborer" and did not need a license. Ford accused the contractor he victimized of writing in the false license number without his knowledge after Ford had signed the clearly marked subcontracts.

Ford was also charged with filing a false declaration with the court in March of 2022 in an attempt to excuse his failure to appear in court on March 16, 2022. Ramsey said his office investigated the declaration and determined Ford had lied, so new charges were filed. When Ford did appear in the court on March 30, 2022, he found out about the new charges. He then fled from the courthouse after requesting to speak to his attorney outside the courtroom about

the new felony charges. Ford was arrested several weeks later at a girlfriend's house in Utah where police found him hiding in a back garage cabinet.

Ford's false declaration claimed Ford lived in Colorado and he had to report to work on a large contract there or be fired from his job. Ramsey said his office presented evidence to the jury that Ford was the sole owner and proprietor of this company, did not have a supervisor, could not be "fired" unless he fired himself, and did not even live in Colorado at the time.

Ford tried to excuse his flight from the courthouse by claiming to the jury that he had an "emergency" business deal relating to a family land sale that he needed to deal with in Texas, so he elected to leave rather than follow the court's orders to remain in the courthouse to be arraigned on his new false declaration charge.

Ramsey said that Ford's massive flurry of lies finally caught up to him.

The trial prosecutor, Deputy District Attorney Mike Tufaro, argued to the jury that: "Mr. Ford has built a house of lies to shield himself from the truth... but the evidence has poured forth and you (the jury) have seen its foundation crack and the walls fall in, leaving Mr. Ford standing in a ruin of his own making – with the truth that he is guilty shining down on him."

Ramsey said the jury deliberated for less than two hours before returning with a verdict of guilty on all charges. The jury also convicted Ford on special allegations that Ford committed new crimes while out on bail.

Ford is being held without bail in the Butte County Jail and will be sentenced on November 16, 2022. He faces up to nine years in state prison. ★

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- \*One making SCOTUS nominations
- Grape holder
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- \*First Lady, acr.
- Singer, songwriter, musician Jon \_\_\_\_\_
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- Speedily
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- \*"The One I Love" group
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- Table linens
- Wow!
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- Delhi draping dress
- \*"18 Across" branch of government
- Shipping weights
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- Field worker
- Spot for FitBit
- Defender of skies, acr.
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## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENTS

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2022-0000844**  
The following person(s) are doing business as: **STELLAFLORA**, 2368 Brown Street, Durham, CA 95938  
Aaron Matthew Barr and Amanda Maria Barr, 2368 Brown Street, Durham, CA 95938  
Date Filed in Butte County: August 26, 2022. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: a Married Couple. **NOTICE:** This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: October 7, 14, 21 & 28, 2022  
**STELLAFLORA** 10-28-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2022-0000939**  
The following person(s) are doing business as: **NORTH SECTION WRESTLING ASSIGNING**, 12 Ridge Line Court, Oroville, CA 95966  
Joseph Deal, 12 Ridge Line Court, Oroville, CA 95966  
Date Filed in Butte County: September 27, 2022. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: a Married Couple. **NOTICE:** This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: October 7, 14, 21 & 28, 2022  
**NORTH** 10-28-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2022-0000920**  
The following person(s) are doing business as: **SANTILLAN FARMING**, 204 South Avenue, Biggs, CA 95917  
Guillermo Santillan, 204 South Avenue, Biggs, CA 95917  
Date Filed in Butte County: September 22, 2022. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: an Individual. **NOTICE:** This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: October 7, 14, 21 & 28, 2022  
**SANTILLAN** 10-28-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2022-0000945**  
The following person(s) are doing business as: **BAYLES RANCH, BAYLISS BOTANICALS, BAYLISS RANCH, LAVENDER RANCH**, 17 W. Rio Bonito Road, Biggs, CA 95917  
Bayliss Botanicals, LLC, 17 W. Rio Bonito Road, Biggs, CA 95917  
Date Filed in Butte County: September 29, 2022. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: Limited Liability Company. **NOTICE:** This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: Oct 14, 21, 28, Nov 4, 2022  
**BAYLES** 11-4-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2022-0000904**  
The following person(s) are doing business as: **COUNTRY COWS AND LIGHT, COUNTRY GARDEN GOURMET**, 761 Ord Ranch Road, Biggs, CA 95917  
Antoinette Lowery, 761 Ord Ranch Road, Biggs, CA 95917  
Date Filed in Butte County: September 19, 2022. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: an Individual. **NOTICE:** This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: Oct 14, 21, 28, Nov 4, 2022  
**COUNTRY** 11-4-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2022-0000874**  
The following person(s) are doing business as: **GUZZETTI'S GROCERIES**, 117 W 14th Street, Chico, CA 95928  
Deepika Tandon, 1620 Oakdale

Street, Chico, CA 95928  
Date Filed in Butte County: September 9, 2022. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: an Individual. **NOTICE:** This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: Oct 14, 21, 28, Nov 4, 2022  
**GUZZETTI** 11-4-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2022-0000966**  
The following person(s) are doing business as: **EMBERS HEATING AND AIR**, 5328 Parkdale Avenue, Oroville, CA 95966  
Embers Heating and Air, 5328 Parkdale Avenue, Oroville, CA 95966  
Date Filed in Butte County: October 5, 2022. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: a Corporation. **NOTICE:** This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: Oct 14, 21, 28, Nov 4, 2022  
**EMBERS** 11-4-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2022-0000876**  
The following person(s) are doing business as: **Simplicity House**, 2472 Oro Quincy Highway #A, Oroville, CA 95966  
Raphael Anderson, 3348 Oro Ban-gor Highway, Oroville, CA 95966  
Date Filed in Butte County: September 9, 2022. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: Individual. **NOTICE:** This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: Oct 21, 28, Nov 4 & 11, 2022  
**RAPHEAL** 11-11-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2022-0000964**  
The following person(s) are doing business as: **Barber Johns on The Ridge**, 6848 Skyway Suite U, Par-adise, CA 95969  
Tammie Barbee and Walter Barbee, 701 E Lassen Avenue #95, Chico, CA 95973  
Date Filed in Butte County: October 5, 2022. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: a Married Couple. **NOTICE:** This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: Oct 21, 28, Nov 4 & 11, 2022  
**BARBER** 11-11-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2022-0000990**  
The following person(s) are doing business as: **North Valley Driving School**, 3060 Thorntree Drive #30, Chico, CA 95973  
Greg Chapla, 1351 Farragut Circle, Davis, CA 95618  
Date Filed in Butte County: October 12, 2022. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: Individual. **NOTICE:** This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: Oct 21, 28, Nov 4 & 11, 2022  
**NORTH** 11-11-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2022-0000981**  
The following person(s) are doing business as: **Fit Diesel Electric**, 6120 Lincoln Boulevard, Suite #1, Oroville, CA 95966  
Roberto Leon, 6120 Lincoln Boulevard, Suite #1, Oroville, CA 95966  
Date Filed in Butte County: October 10, 2022. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: Individual. **NOTICE:** This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County

Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: Oct 21, 28, Nov 4 & 11, 2022  
**FIT** 11-11-22

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NO. 2022-0000983**  
The following person(s) are doing business as: **INFINITE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION**, 3370 Dakota Avenue, Biggs, CA 95917  
Kyle Dewsnap, 3370 Dakota Avenue, Biggs, CA 95917  
Date Filed in Butte County: October 11, 2022. The Registrant commenced to transact business under the above business name on: N/A  
This Business is conducted by: Individual. **NOTICE:** This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400, ET SEQ., Business and Professions Code. Publish: Oct 28, Nov 4, 11 & 18, 2022  
**INFINITE** 11-11-22

## ORDER TO SHOW FOR CHANGE OF NAME

**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME**  
CASE #22CV02092  
Petitioner Randall James Cramblet filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Randall James Cramblet to Randall James Smith.

**THE COURT ORDERS** that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing November 9, 2022, 9:00 a.m. Department TBA, Room TBA, Superior Court of California, County of Butte, North County Courthouse 1775 Concord Avenue Chico, CA 95928

Filed on September 19, 2022  
Stephen E. Benson, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: October 7, 14, 21 & 28, 2022  
**RANDALL** 10-28-22

## ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

**CASE #22CV01731**  
Petitioner Brenda Sue Hallett filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Brenda Sue Hallett to Brenda Sue Van Dyke Lopez. **THE COURT ORDERS** that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing November 16, 2022, 9:00 a.m. Department TBD, Room TBD, Superior Court of California, County of Butte, North County Courthouse 1775 Concord Avenue Chico, CA 95928  
Filed on September 30, 2022  
Tamara L. Mosbarger, Judge of the Superior Court  
Publish: Oct 14, 21, 28, Nov 4, 2022  
**BRENDA** 11-4-22

## NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF GEORGIA ANN SPRINGER**  
CASE NO. 22PR00511

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate of Georgia Ann Springer, deceased.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by Alison M. Somerville, in the Superior Court of California, County of Butte, requesting Alison M. Somerville be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the executor to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the executor will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows November 1, 2022, 9:00 a.m. in Dept 1. Superior Court of California, County of Butte, 1775 Concord Avenue, Chico, CA 95928.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. The name, address and telephone number of the Attorney for Petitioner is: Jill N. Robbins, 815 Cottage Street, Susanville, CA 96130; 530/257-8111  
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**SPRINGER** 10-28-22

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF CLINT M. STEVENS**  
CASE NO. 22PR00525

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, and contingent creditors of and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate of Clint M. Stevens, deceased.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by MaryAnn Nash, in the Superior Court of California, County of Butte, requesting MaryAnn Nash be appointed as personal representative(s) to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the executor to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the executor will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or have consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

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**STEVENS** 10-28-22

## TRUSTEE SALE

APN: 116-234-007-000 TS No: CA07000217-22-1 TO No: 220092741-CA-VOI  
**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE** (The above statement is made pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(d)(1). The Summary will be provided

to Trustor(s) and/or vested owner(s) only, pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(d)(2).) YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED March 20, 2019. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On November 16, 2022 at 11:00 AM, at the Main Entrance to the County Courthouse Located at 520 Main Street, Quincy, CA 95971, MTC Financial Inc. dba Trustee Corps, as the duly Appointed Trustee, under and pursuant to the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust Recorded on March 22, 2019 as Instrument No. 2019-0001211, of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Plumas County, California, executed by JEFFREY MOFFETT, A SINGLE MAN, as Trustor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC, as Beneficiary, as nominee for FAIRWAY INDEPENDENT MORTGAGE CORPORATION as Beneficiary, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, that certain property situated in said County, California describing the land therein as: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN SAID DEED OF TRUST The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2133 CENTER STREET, QUINCY, CA 95971 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the Note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said Note(s), advances if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligations secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this Notice of Trustee's Sale is estimated to be \$193,871.32 (Estimated). However, prepayment premiums, accrued interest and advances will increase this figure prior to sale. Beneficiary's bid at said sale may include all or part of said amount. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the California Financial Code and authorized to do business in California, or other such funds as may be acceptable to the Trustee. In the event tender other than cash is accepted, the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed Upon Sale until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. The property offered for sale excludes all funds held on account by the property receiver, if applicable. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Notice to Potential Bidders If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a Trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien,

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Bucks Lake. Launch at Sandy Pt. Fish the Mill Creek inlet for nice 18" rainbows. USE: Rebel Famous Minnow. (b) Fly fishermen fish the tailwaters below the dam to Lower Bucks Lake. USE: Oct Caddis. (b)



October Caddis

### SAN FRANCISCO BAY-DELTA

Several halibut at Alcatraz Island, USE: Live Anchovy. (a) Delta sturgeon. Check the tide tables. Sonar scan for slot white sturgeon. Complete your Report Card. Anchor near the sturgeon...USE: Ghost Shrimp, Grass Shrimp, Eel, Pile Worms. (a)

### COASTAL WATERS

San Francisco Coast, salmon fishing tapering off. Book Charter Boats for great off shore tune fishing.

### LAKES RESERVOIRS AND RIVERS

Gold Lake is located on a S.W. to N.E. axis and prevailing winds are S.W. Huge mackinaw found along the protected lee shore. Best trolling



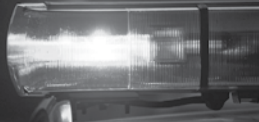
Flatfish

USE: Minnow Plugs, Apex Lures, Rapala and Flatfish lures. (a) **Fisherman's Comment:** Oh-Oh! I'll never use that silly Flatfish Lure again. Signed: Mack A Lake Oroville; CDFW dumping shocked Kings into the lake for fishermen. Davis Lake Green Algae bloom. **Fisherman's Comment:** tsk, tsk. Too bad. First the invasive, carnivorous Northern Pike (Esox Lucius), now this Green Algae (Cladophora glomerata). Signed: For Shame. Eagle Lake Indian Summer. Trolling for Eagle Lake strain rainbows. USE: Orange, Red / Gold Lures. (a) Englebright Lake; rainbows to 15", at the Cove, near the dam. USE: Nightcrawlers behind Flashers. (b)

### RIVERS

American River; Sailor Bar. Flow is 2427 CFS. A few Kings caught. USE: Beads. (g) Stripers at Watt Ave. to Paradise Beach. USE: Glide Bait. (g) Swing flies at Sunrise Ave. nets 14'-28' steelies. USE: Sculpin. (a) Klamath River; still dirty from runoff. No half-pounders, but a few adult steelhead. USE: Dark Flies w/ Flash. (g)

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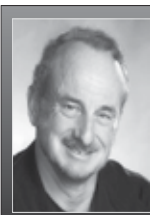
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# The Stock Market Continues to Convulse

The stock market continues to convulse, making it about 11 months now since we've witnessed some sort of normalcy in the indexes.

The monetary tightening by the Federal Reserve to combat the worst inflation in 40 years is a causation for sure, but in addition to that, the restart of supply lines after the CoVid shutdowns, the unwillingness of many to get back to work after their generous unemployment bonuses and stimulus checks, the Ukraine war and wallet-crushing prices on many of the things people buy have also contributed. Arguably, a perfect storm of bad decisions all came together to slam almost all sides of our global economies.

You might ask "*what bad decisions Marc?*"

Subjectively speaking and in this analysts opinion, the CoVid shutdowns and the fire hose of unemployment and bailout monies has fostered the red hot inflation we are witnessing now. The shutdowns need no explanation, and the federal cash giveaways increased the money supply by almost 50% from what it was pre-CoVid.

Let's call it what it is: egregious money printing by the governments of the world, similar to the Mexican Peso event that decimated that currency decades ago. There have been many other overspending governments throughout history of course, but the Mexican Peso event seems to strike a familiar chord in the minds of most. Copious amounts of money printing was Mexico's problem way back when, and it's the same problem most governments of the world, including the U.S., seem to be coping with now.

The central banks of the world are trying to bring down inflation by tightening down on credit and the money supply of their respective economies.

Ironically (and in my opinion, idiotically), governments are continuing to spend even more money to try and cope with the inflationary problems caused by previous spending.

In the last 6 months alone, Washington has doled out another five trillion or so on everything from giving money to for-profit semi-conductor companies, to pushing for more green solutions in the midst of an energy shortage, climate change, massive government hiring, more bank bailouts, foreign assistance and more. You name it, Washington wants to throw money at it.

I'm not pointing a figure at any one party, administration or sovereign government mind you, as they have all overspent for decades. But it was only a matter of time before all that money starting bidding up the prices of everything under the sun. And it has.

Here in the U.S., the government continues to think of new ways to fire up the

printing presses. The coming November elections and the Presidential election which should start in late 2023 makes the temptation to continue to put ink to paper in the form of newly created dollars to shower down on potential voters irresistible.

Meanwhile, Federal Reserve Chief Jerome Powell must be pulling his hair out. As the Federal Reserve tries and sop up some of those CoVid trillions to tame inflation, 16 individual states are handing out even more money at help citizens cope with inflation. (LOL)

They are California, Colorado, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Maine, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New Mexico, Oregon, South Carolina and Virginia.

Apparently, at least that many state governments don't see the irony in handing out free money to counteract the very inflation caused by handing out free money. My opinion of course and I'm sure I'll get at least a few nasty letters for that one.

Such is the life of public columnist.

In conclusion, once we look past the previous mistakes of the Federal Reserve in their failure to recognize our inflation early on, when it would have been much easier and far less painful to tame, we at least have to give them credit for holding a firm line continuing to withdraw money and credit from the system despite a crashing market and slowing economy.

Not only does the Federal Reserve feel the pressure to solve our inflationary problem, they are very soon likely to feel even more pressure from Washington to relent and stop tightening the screws on the consumer. In a box of their own making, they are now damned if they do and damned if they don't.

Since the federal and state governments continue to hand out cash however, I doubt the Feds will be able to accomplish their mission and may even "break something" in the process.

You heard it here first:

*Inflation is probably not going away anytime soon.*

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## NOTICE OF NOMINEES FOR PUBLIC OFFICE CITY OF BIGGS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following persons have been nominated for the office of Council Member at the Consolidated General Election to be held in the City of Biggs on Tuesday, November 8, 2022.

### City Council: Full Term - Vote for no more than three (3)

CHUCK NUCHOLS, Appointed Incumbent  
BRIAN BASSETT, Incumbent  
EDMUND PUNZO, Businessman  
JAMES THEO "BO" SHEPPARD, Incumbent

### City Council: Short Term - Vote for no more than one (1)

MICHAEL BUCK, Appointed Incumbent  
ANITA WILKS, Administrative Assistant

Roben Benish, City Clerk

The Gridley Herald October 28, 2022

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The property will be sold to the highest bidder submitting a bid in excess of the minimum bid amount listed above. The property will be sold "as is," "where is," without warranty as to condition or of any other kind.

Bids must be in writing and received at the Oroville District office (5117 Larkin Road, Oroville) not later than November 8, 2022, by 4:25 PM. Bids, to be considered, must be accompanied by a check in the amount of 10% of the bid amount, made payable to the District, as security for the completion of the purchase and sale. All bids will remain sealed until the Board Meeting of November 9, 2022. The highest bidder will be notified the morning of November 14, 2022, and will be required to make arrangements with the District to complete the transaction and deliver full cash payment within 24 hours of notification. If the highest bidder fails to complete the transaction by tendering full cash payment of the bid amount within 24 hours of notification, the bid security shall be forfeited to the District. If a transaction with a higher bidder is not completed, the District may sell the property to the next highest bidder until the sale is completed. The bid security shall be returned to bidders who are not designated, once the transaction is completed.

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# Lady Bulldogs Sweep Thunderbirds

Story and photos  
by Steven Bryla

**OROVILLE, CA (MPG)** - The Gridley varsity volleyball team tied its highest season win total with 19 on Thursday, October 20, when they swept the Las Plumas Thunderbirds in three-sets.

Although Gridley (19-10, 5-3 Butte View League) swept Las Plumas (6-22, 0-8 BVL), it didn't come easily as the Lady Bulldogs had to play extra points in the first set and it went down to the wire in the third set. Gridley won the sets 28-26, 25-13 and 25-23.

Bulldogs senior captain and setter Avery Weagant led Gridley with the most attempted serves against the Thunderbirds with 18. Weagant had three aces along with 22 assists and seven digs.

Fellow senior and captain for the Bulldogs, Kennison Cota, led the match with eight blocks and contributed four aces, seven kills and 13 digs for Gridley.

Cota led the Bulldogs in every statistical category during the season except for assists, where Weagant led in that category with an average of 5.2 assists per set.

Gridley grabbed the third seed in the CIF Northern Section Division III Playoffs where they will travel and play at the Orland Trojans (21-9, 7-1 BVL) in the second round on Tuesday, November 1. Both teams received a first-round bye due to their only being five teams in the bracket. The two BVL teams split a two-match series during the season where both teams won on their home-court.

Bulldogs head coach Liz Ayon told The Herald that with the long period in between matches, she is going to freshen up on the basics of volleyball that include hitting, setting and service.

"We're going to be more consistent while we play against one another like scrimmaging during practice time," Ayon said.

Ayon added that she is going to attempt to keep her team focused and consistent like they have been throughout the season since it



Gridley junior middle hitter Alyssa Thompson gets ready to hit the ball over the net during a three-set sweep over Oroville on October 13 in Gridley. The Lady Bulldogs swept Las Plumas in three sets on October 20.

started and to not get complacent. Cota and Weagant were chosen as captains for Gridley by their teammates. Ayon told The Herald that she wants her captains to be the loudest voices in the gym going forward.

"I want to see them talking and communicating the most while we play, along with having good energy and being positive," Ayon said. "Doing the things that a coach can't make you do, but you have control over."

The one difference between the two matches between Orland and the Lady Bulldogs was that Weagant didn't play in the first match on September 20. 6 out of the seven sets played between the Trojans and Gridley have been decided by six points or less, to where the matches could have gone in favor of either team.

Orland knocked the Lady Bulldogs out of the NSCIF Playoffs last season in the second round. Ayon said she spotted differences between this year's Trojans team compared to last season.



Gridley senior libero Alexia Gutierrez gets ready to serve the ball during a three-set sweep over Oroville on October 13 in Gridley. The Lady Bulldogs swept Las Plumas in three sets on October 20.

"They graduated some good players, but still have some of the key players from last year's roster," Ayon told The Herald.

Two of the key returners for Orland include senior setter Zoey James and senior outside hitter Hannah Martins. James is the

Trojans leader in assists this season with 506 and 100 aces from serving. Martins finished in the top three of the kills, hitting percentage and digs categories for Orland during the regular season.

Ayon added one of the newest additions for the Trojans this season that has added some positive play for Orland is freshman middle hitter Lillianna Rowe. Rowe led the Trojans during the season in blocks and hitting percentage, along with having the second most kills on the team during the season.

With Gridley's 19 regular season wins being the most since the 2017 season, Ayon told The Herald that this group of players' "energy and effort they give on the court," is special.

She added that multiple fans who come out to watch the Lady Bulldogs have said they like the team's high energy and the way they have fun on the court, or how they celebrate after

scoring an ace or big point in the match.

Gridley and Orland scare off next Tuesday scheduled for 7 p.m. ★

## California Families Find Solutions to Bullying from a Surprising Source

Jehovah's Witnesses  
of USA  
News Release

**SACRAMENTO REGION, CA (MPG)** - When their 5-year-old son came home from his California school with a bloody lip and scraped face, Daniel and Jessica discovered it was not just an innocent playground accident. Their child was being bullied.

As millions of children head back to school this year, more than one in five of them will have a similar experience, according to the National Center for Education Statistics. And in a national study by the Cyberbullying Research Center, nearly 21% of teens said they had been a target, aggressor or witness to bullying online or by other electronic means.

As parents search for ways to protect their children, a growing group of families are turning to an unlikely source for practical guidance: the Bible.

Daniel and Jessica talked with all three of their children about helpful scriptural principles they learned through their faith as Jehovah's Witnesses. "We prayed about it as a family," Daniel said. Then together, they studied verses "about behavior and about how to stick up for yourself the right way, how to treat people and not retaliate."

They also went to jw.org, the Witnesses' official website, where a search for the term bullying brought up a wealth of free resources including videos, articles, worksheets and other online activities on topics young



Resources on jw.org help children, teens and parents successfully deal with bullying. Photo courtesy JWUSA

people face at school. Those resources include a whiteboard animation entitled, "Beat a Bully Without Using Your Fists" and an animated cartoon about the powerful effect of prayer for those who are being bullied.

Daniel and Jessica's young son decided to try and win his bully over with kindness.

"I gave him a stress ball," said the 5-year-old. Jessica acknowledges, "Now he refers to the child as his friend. To me, that's progress."

Madison of Clifton, New Jersey, also turned to the Scriptures when a cyberbully started harassing her in the eighth grade with dozens of disturbing notifications on her cell phone. "It was really crazy. He was sending me pictures of my house. I was really paranoid all the time," she said.

Reading the Bible and praying calmed her anxiety. "It's just you and God, and you're just talking one-on-one," she said. "It's very comforting, and it works."

She also followed the practical steps outlined in the jw.org whiteboard animation "Be Social-Network Smart" to protect herself.

She told her parents and teachers about the situation and deleted the social media account her bully had targeted. "I still don't have that account to this day," said Madison, now 21.

"Not every situation resolves so easily. But applying the Bible's advice and focusing on the big picture can help individuals cope and maintain their sense of self-worth," said Robert Hendriks, U.S. spokesperson for Jehovah's Witnesses.

"The Bible has proven to be a practical resource for many families to navigate difficult situations in life," said Hendriks. "The principles found in this ancient book can help adults and children resolve conflict and maintain peaceful relationships with others."

Principles like the so-called Golden Rule of treating others as you would want to be treated, showing love and being slow to anger are tools Jessica said help her family in many circumstances. "My children can go to school with confidence," she said, "knowing that they have the tools to combat issues that they're faced with." ★

## Teichert Ponds Shooting Suspects Charged

*Daughter Arrested as Getaway Driver*

**Butte County DA News Release**

**BUTTE COUNTY, CA (MPG)** - Two Chico residents were charged on October 19 for a shooting at Teichert Ponds in Chico last week. Additionally, the daughter of one was arrested after court for being their anticipated getaway driver.

Butte County District Attorney Mike Ramsey said that cousins, Keyna Osorio, 38, and Demetrious Brown, Jr., 25, were arraigned on October 19 on charges of shooting and seriously injuring a 25-year-old homeless man encamped at the ponds.

Osorio and Brown were each charged with an assault with a semi-automatic firearm. Osorio was also charged with personally inflicting great bodily injury and being a felon in possession of a firearm.

Osorio's daughter, Keynara Corona, 18, Chico, was arrested by Chico police detectives outside the courthouse in Oroville as she arrived for the arraignment of her mother and Brown.

Ramsey said the charges stemmed from the shooting, which occurred at approximately 10 p.m. on Sunday, October 15, 2022.

Ramsey said evidence was developed that Osorio and Brown entered the Teichert Ponds area and actively searched for the victim, as Osorio's daughter Corona was waiting in a car nearby to take them away. The two cousins reportedly believed the victim had stolen items from a recently deceased relative of theirs.

Osorio and Brown located the victim's tent. They called out his name and shot him through the tent walls when he responded. The victim, despite being shot in the arm and leg, was able to call 911.

The Chico Police Department is located across the street from Teichert Ponds and officers arrived almost immediately and found Osorio and Brown as they were fleeing the shooting. Two handguns associated with them were found nearby as they were arrested. Corona was in a car waiting just outside the pond area. She escaped the area until October 19, Ramsey said.

At the arraignment on October 19, Osorio and Brown were ordered held without bail. Osorio and Brown appeared in court for entry of plea on Wednesday, October 26. Corona's case is pending. ★



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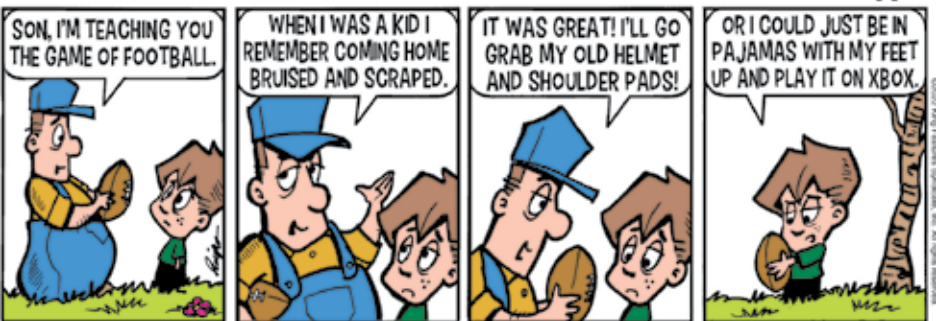
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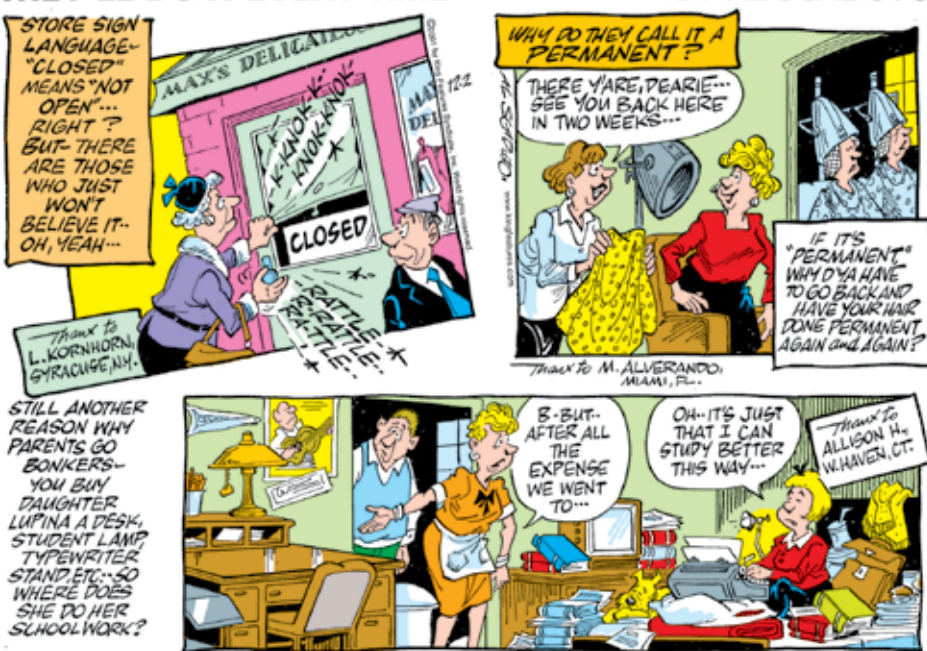
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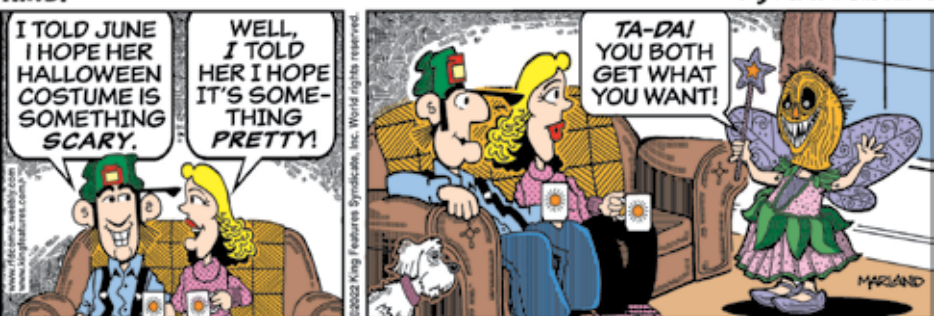
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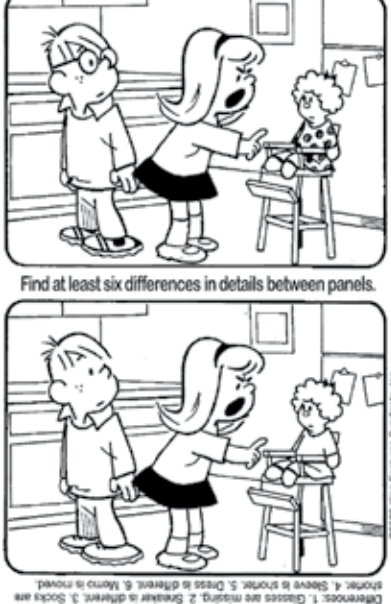
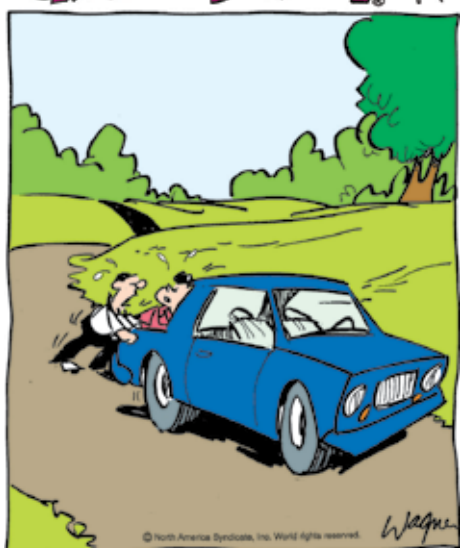
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# What a Coup!

Story by Mary Jane Popp

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - That's the only way to describe the 90th Anniversary Samoyed Club of America National Specialty last week. And Judy Davis was the inspiration and Chairwoman behind the success of this momentous event.

Just think, it's been 26 years since there was a Samoyed National Dog Show in Northern California, and to be honest, I didn't know if it was going to happen. The original location was the Roseville Fairgrounds and then, just days before the show was to begin, Judy had to move the show because Cal Fire needed to use the grounds for equipment staging because of the Mosquito Fire.

Judy had about two days to find a new venue, and the Butte County Fairgrounds in Gridley, California was the only place not booked. Can you imagine what it took to move a whole show with dog owners bringing their dogs from all over the country and world in just a few days? But she did it. I still marvel how she kept it all going.

The National show had

people and dogs from the lower 48 and Hawaii and Alaska as well as Canada, even China to name just a few...some 450 entries in all. One of the judges was from Australia, and Judy had an excellent New York photographer to capture the precious moments. But Judy pulled it off, and it was a major success to boot.

Judy also gave kudos to the Gridley community who stepped up to the plate to help in any way they could. By the way, Judy is very near the 80-year-old mark, but I don't think a 30-year-old could have kept up with her.

This was on Judy's bucket list to chair this National Show for twenty years. She put in her bid in 2019 and won. And here's one for the record books, this is a volunteer position. She wanted to make some changes too. Most of the other locations were done inside, but Judy wanted to prove we can do wonderful outside shows in California, and that's just what she did.

Next year the show goes to Virginia Beach and then Texas in 2024, and they should take lessons from



**Tomi Speed with her champion dog, Kip, from Santa Rosa Calif. on the grooming table.** Photo courtesy of Jahan Byrne

Judy to make it all happen. Maybe she can write a guidebook on how to make it a great National show, no matter what obstacles get in your way.

Judy had her first Samoyed in 1965 called Yukon, and that's the name that stuck when she became an owner/breeder of her Yukon Samoyeds.

This is Judy's passion to make sure her legacy lives on with her beautiful Smiling Sammies. I know how deep her passion

is. We have two of her Sammies, Ice and Trekker. Trekker was a rescue from neglect. Judy drove to Utah to bring him home, and now Trekker is a Grand Champion. Her passion lives on through her love for these beautiful loving dogs. What a coup indeed and the kudos all go to Judy and her passion and persistence.

Congratulations on a job well done! It was a WOOFING GOOD TIME!!! ★

# Light Up Gridley!

By Seti Long

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - The holidays are just around the corner and the Gridley Area Chamber of Commerce is getting a jump on them. Why so early? Because things are going to be a little different this year!

As part of the annual Winter Wonderland Festival and Parade of Lights, the Chamber promotes the holiday spirit with a contest for best light decoration through the town of Gridley. In past years, they have also encouraged residences and businesses along main downtown streets, especially Hazel, to decorate for the holidays.

This year, the Chamber is asking for the help of service organizations, non-profits, churches, groups, families and individuals to adopt a corner along the Hazel Street corridor to decorate! The Chamber will be decorating the 4 corners at the intersection of Kentucky and Hazel streets but corners on the intersection of Ohio and Hazel Streets and Virginia and Hazel Streets are up for grabs! A large cash prize is being offered for best use of decorations on the corners of those streets, 1st place takes home



**Frosty invites you to get in the spirit with some fun decorating projects this holiday season.** Photo courtesy of the Gridley Chamber of Commerce

\$200, 2nd place wins \$150 and 3rd place, a \$100 prize! Decorations will not be provided, and groups will need to arrange their own supplies.

Decorating begins November 26th at 8:00 am. Corners will be assigned on a first come first serve basis. Judging will be held December 5th with winners chosen by business owners from out of the area and will be announced December 7th at the Winter Wonderland Festival and Parade of Lights.

For more information or to reserve your corner, please contact the Gridley Area Chamber of Commerce at (530) 846-3142. ★

# Día De Los Muertos, Dos!

By Seti Long

**GRIDLEY, CA (MPG)** - Returning for its second year, Gridley's Día De Los Muertos Celebration is planned for November 2nd at downtown's Daddow Park.

Fun for the whole family, guests are encouraged to

come out and participate in the traditional Mexican holiday that honors passed loved ones that are believed to return to earth on Día De Los Muertos. Last year, the Día De Los Muertos Celebration was held to honor loved ones and community members that were lost to the pandemic.

As last year, health agencies from throughout the area will be present promoting health and wellness for all.

Visitors are urged to dress in Catrina Costumes, the traditional Hispanic dress for the holiday. A Catrina Costume Contest will be held for children with prizes

for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places. Mariachi Nueva Generación will perform, and there will be many fun activities and tasty food for families to enjoy.

Gridley's Día De Los Muertos Celebration will be held from 5pm – 9 pm, November 2, 2022. ★



**The event was quite popular last year with people even attending Día De Los Muertos from out of the area. In the image: Gridley visitor Danisa Ramirez and her dog Seven in full dress.** Photo by Seti Long

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